

Judge Terrell Orator

MANY CELEBRATE SLAVES' FREEDOM.

Cleveland Association of Colored Men Holds Picnic—Emancipation is Recognized in Speeches—Washington Judge is Orator of the Day.

Cleveland, O., August 2. The Cleveland Association of Colored Men, with their wives and children and sweethearts, took control of Luna Park yesterday afternoon and evening to celebrate Emancipation Day—not the Lincoln Emancipation alone, for that is of a September date, but that of August 1, 1834, when Great Britain liberated all her slaves in the West Indies. There were several thousand people present.

The day's celebration began with a marathon race that started from in front of the Leader office at 10 o'clock and ended at the park just thirty-one minutes later, when Lenwood Jones, an employee of the Peerless Automobile Company, covered the five and a half miles to Luna Park in record-breaking time, and was awarded a gold watch. Moses Dixon, the second in the race, carried off a diamond studded pin.

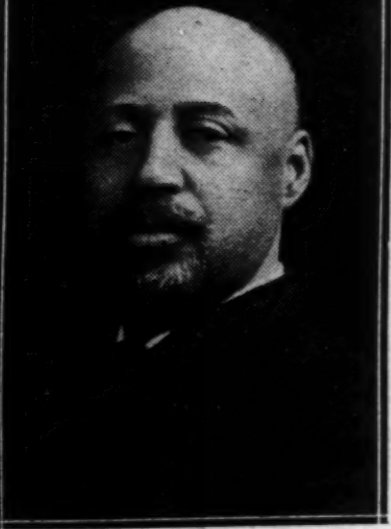
A thousand or more people gathered about the athletic field in the afternoon and watched a series of events which ended in a baseball game in which the Leonard Sofa Bed team put the Smart Set to slumber by a score of 10 to 6. Then the crowd gathered about the theater, where the most serious program of the day was carried out.

Vice Mayor Speaks.

The gathering was presided over by William R. Green, while about him on the platform were Vice Mayor H. F. Walker, representing Mayor Baehr; Judge Robert H. Terrell, of the Municipal Court, of Washington, D. C., the orator of the day; Edward P. Smith, Harry E. Davis, Samuel T. Boyd, Dr. Ellis A. Day, and other officers of the organization. Vice Mayor Walker gave a hearty welcome to the gathering on behalf of the mayor.

"President—Lincoln having given you the freedom of the United States," said the speaker, "it is the least we can do for you to offer you the freedom of the city of Cleveland. That I do most cordially on behalf of Mayor Baehr."

The chairman then introduced the



JUDGE ROBERT H. TERRELL

orator of the day, Judge Terrell, "himself born in slavery, who worked his own way through Harvard University and is now judge on the municipal court of Washington."

Judge Terrell was greeted with a round of applause. When it had subsided he said: "The story of the negro in America is not new, but is so romantic and so filled with striking situations that men who read and study the problem find in it an interest that is as fresh today as it was in the days of the great constitutional convention of 1789, when behind the chair of each member of that body stood always the terrifying shadow of the slave."

Discusses Slavery.

"It would be better for us who have negro blood in our veins and better for our country if this subject were not so popular. But since it must be discussed we should without flinching assume our share of the debate. The trouble has been that one set of people have been trying to solve the negro question all by themselves without asking us anything about it. They forget, as one of Tourgee's old negro characters puts it, that the man in the moon knows more about the moon than all the astronomers on earth."

Judge Terrell said he was an optimist of the optimists. Nowhere in the world was the negro so well off as here in the United States, he said.

The census of 1910, he thinks, will give some startling material regarding the advances made by the negro in the first fifty years of the emancipation."

A prize baby show closed the afternoon. In this Maie Perkins was awarded the beauty prize; Charlotte Cix, the health prize, and Mary and Martha Fay (twins), the prize for cuteness.

The principal committeemen were: Reception—William R. Green, chairman; Dr. Ellis A. Dale, Thomas W.

Fleming, Henry T. Eubanks, George A. Myers, William H. Hunley, Alexander H. Martin, Thomas J. Shauter, Lawrence Rogers, Samuel E. Woods, John A. Wilson, John A. Anderson, Duffy Smith, Harry E. Davis, Theodore B. Green.

Prizes—J. Harvey Jackson, chairman; W. H. Hunley, Samuel C. Green.

Program—Thos. W. Fleming, chairman; J. H. Jackson, J. W. Wills.

Special Police Marshal—Garrett A. Morgan.

General Executive Committee—William H. Hunley, chairman; Hon. Henry T. Eubanks, treasurer; Thos. W. Fleming, secretary.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL SESSION

National Negro Business League, New York City, Aug. 17, 18, 19, 1910.

The railroads of the Trunk Line Passenger Association, the Central Passenger Association, and the South-eastern Passenger Association have authorized a rate of a fare and three-fifths, on the certificate plan, from points within their territory, to delegates attending the eleventh annual session of the National Negro Business League at New York City, August 17-18-19, 1910.

The territory from which the rates are available is as follows:

Trunk Line Association—New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, West Virginia, District of Columbia, and portions of Virginia.

Central Passenger Association—Ohio, Indiana, Western Pennsylvania, Illinois, Michigan.

Southeastern Passenger Association—Virginia, portions of West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama and Mississippi.

All delegates or members holding standard form certificates secured from and executed by agents at starting points evidencing payment of tariff rates to place of meeting will be sold tickets for return trip under following rules, at three-fifths of the first class fare in effect from place of meeting to original starting points (plus 25 cents railroad charge for validation of tickets) via routes traveled on going trip as specified on certificates.

Going Trip—It is necessary that such persons procure certificates when going trips are purchased. If through tickets to place of meeting can not be procured at starting stations, persons should purchase to most convenient stations at which such through tickets can be obtained and there repurchase through to meeting place, procuring certificate from each agent from whom a ticket is purchased, and presenting all certificates to Special Agent at place of meeting. No refund fare will be made because of failure to procure certificates.

Return trip (a) Validation for Return—Certificates will not be honored for return tickets unless signed with ink by authorized officer of our meeting and by Special Agent appointed by carriers, who will sign certificates only when satisfied that one hundred (100) or more delegates or members holding properly executed certificates have attended meeting. (The agent of the railroads makes a charge of 25 cents for validation of each certificate when purchasing going tickets.)

You therefore see how important it is to procure certificates when purchasing going tickets.

Time Limits—No certificates procured more than three days (not counting Sundays) prior to or more than two (2) days after date fixed for the commencement of the meeting will be honored.

Certificates must be presented to ticket agent during time meeting is in session or within three (3) days (not counting Sunday) after date fixed for adjournment of meeting.

Not Transferable—Neither certificates nor tickets issued in exchange therefor are transferable, and if presented by any other person than original purchasers, they will not be honored but will be forfeited.

Tickets for return trips issued in exchange for certificates will be limited to continuous passage by first train or steamer leaving place of meeting after purchase.

Certificates must be presented to ticket agents a sufficient time in advance of departure of trains or steamers to permit agents to properly issue tickets and check baggage. They will not be honored by conductors or pursers.

Return tickets at reduced rates will be sold only to stations within territory described by carriers in their tariffs announcing arrangements for this meeting.

No certificate evidencing payment of less than 75 cents for going ticket will be honored for reduced fare returning.

No certificate issued in connection with children's half fare ticket, mileage, clergy, charity or employees ticket, or any other form of transportation at less than the regular first-class fare will be honored for reduced fare returning.

Be sure to secure certificates from ticket agents when purchasing your ticket to New York. Ticket agents in the above named territory must issue certificates to any one upon request, even if they claim they have no information relative to reduced rates on account of the meeting of the National Negro Business League.

No reduced rates have been granted on account meeting of the National Negro Business League except from the territory described above. Be sure to ask for certificates when purchasing tickets, which may be secured on and after Saturday, August 13, and are good to return up to and including



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Manager of the Howard Theatre, formerly Manager of the
Pekin Theatre, Chicago, Ill.

Tuesday, August 13, and are good to return up to and including Tuesday, August 23. Upon reaching New York delegates should deposit their certificates with C. F. Adams, transportation agent, for validation.

Delegates from the New England States should buy tickets at lowest round trip summer tourist rates to New York. Ask your local ticket agent.

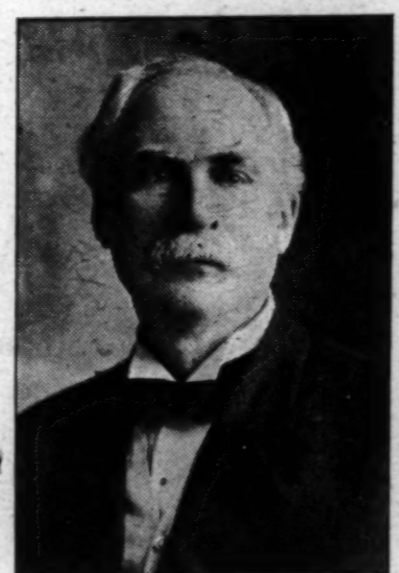
Delegates from Arkansas, Oklahoma and Texas may buy tickets to Memphis, Tenn., or St. Louis, Mo., and then repurchase to New York, asking for certificate, or may buy round trip summer tourist tickets to New York. Ask your local ticket agent for full particulars.

Delegates from Louisiana may buy tickets to nearest Mississippi point and then rebuy to New York, asking for a certificate. It may be possible to procure round trip summer excursion tickets direct to New York. Ask your local ticket agent for full particulars.

Delegates from other sections should purchase summer excursion tickets to Chicago or St. Louis and return, and then repurchase to New York, asking for certificate. In many cases it will be possible to procure round trip summer excursion tickets direct to New York at very low rates. When in doubt ask your local ticket agent.

Justice Barnard Returned.

After a pleasant trip across the seas Judge Job Barnard has returned to the bench in vigorous health and happy thought. The members of the bench were glad to see him, as will be seen by the large number of cases he disposed of since he has been upon the bench. Judge Barnard always has



a pleasant smile upon his face, and wherever he is, he always greets the bar with an agreeable and pleasant smile. The many friends of this distinguished jurist welcome his return.

Howard Theater.

This popular theater will open Monday evening, Aug. 22. This is the people's theater, and is no doubt the best structure in the city. It is situated at the corner of 7th and T streets northwest, in a popular section of the city. The opening night will no doubt be the greatest event in the history of the lovers of theaters. This theater is beautifully appointed in every particular. Its seating capacity is greater than any theater in the city. It is claimed by the management to have dressing rooms enough to dress 100 performers. The stage is large enough to take any play that is upon the American stage.

Don't forget the date of opening—Monday, Aug. 22. Secure your tickets now. Phone to Manager Smith, Box Office, Phone North 762.

TEXAS RIOT

50 NEGROES AND 17 WHITES DEAD IN RACE WAR IN TEXAS.

Every Member of Posse in Pursuit of Blacks Shot to Death and a New Band of 300 Starts Out to Punish Slayers.

Two Companies of State Guard Ordered to Scene of Carnage by Governor—3 Soldiers Fall in First Assault.

Riot Is Started by Slaying of Planter Who Tried to Collect Debt—Negroes Loot Hardware Stores and Seize Guns.

PALESTINE, Texas, July 30.—Fifty negroes and seventeen white men are dead in the woods surrounding this place tonight, and a pitched battle is progressing between whites and blacks.

The known dead are: William Pekar, John Samuels, Alfred Whitton, James Arnolds, Hervy Wilkins, William Goode, Albert Milam, James French, Sol Lee, Jefferson Harris, William Timmons, James Edry, George Mundson and Henry Frazier, all white.

The names of the negroes slain in the battle are not known, and a number of bodies of white men are lying in the brush surrounding the settlement into which the negroes have been driven tonight, and it is impossible to determine who of those engaged in the rush this afternoon on the negroes' stronghold have been victims of the fire of the blacks.

Troops are being rushed from Houston and Jacksonville tonight to the scene of the fighting, and it is expected that their arrival will cow the blacks and effect their surrender.

Fight More Than 36 Hours.

Not since the famous battles of the Texas Rangers against the bad men of the Southwest has there been such an engagement fought in Texas as that begun on Friday afternoon and continued today. For more than thirty-six hours the whites and blacks have been battling.

The arrival of troops is anticipated to put an end to the fighting, but the negroes are determined, and as they have a plentiful supply of ammunition, it is feared that the fighting will continue for several days.

Fresh recruits of negroes from the vicinity of Jacksonville and Palestine are continually joining the ranks of the negroes, who are thought to number a thousand or more in the woods and everglades that surround Palestine.

Negroes Loot Hardware Stores.

This afternoon the hardware stores of Palestine and Jacksonville were stormed by a horde of negroes and looted of all the guns and ammunition that they contained.

This was accomplished despite the fact that guards of the constabulary of the two towns had been added to the State troops. Friday afternoon John Wilson, a farmer, living near Palestine, started to collect the balance on a note due him from Edgar Henry, a negro tenant, who occupied a portion of the Wilson plantation.

The negro saw Wilson riding toward his place and hid himself in a thicket near his cabin. Without warning he emptied both barrels of a shot gun, the charges taking effect in Wilson's head, killing him instantly. The sound of the gun attracted Jim Cruse, a neighbor, who accused the negro of shooting Wilson.

The negro advanced on Cruse, who

was unarmed, loading his gun as he came. He shot Cruse without warning. Mrs. Cruse saw her husband fall and telephoned to Palestine. A posse was formed immediately to capture Henry. The negro fled to a settlement of blacks a mile distant and told the negroes there that he had been attacked by two white men.

Whole Settlement Aflame.

Immediately the settlement was aflame, and every negro armed himself with a gun and advanced to meet the posse. About five miles from town the negroes and whites met and the battle followed.

Every member of the posse was killed, and seven of the attacking negroes were fatally shot.

A small boy observed the battle and hurried to his home and telephoned to Palestine that every member of the attacking party had been killed. The Palestine residents were inflamed and 300 citizens formed a posse to hunt down the negroes.

In the meantime word had been telegraphed to Jacksonville and Houston that a race riot was in progress in the vicinity of Palestine, and it was asked that Governor Campbell be wired to send troops to the scene. The Houston authorities put the matter up to Governor Campbell, who immediately ordered two Houston companies of the Texas National Guard aboard a train on the International and Great Northern Road, and a special train was rushed to Palestine.

At that point automobiles were NINE—BEE provided and the soldiers were hurried to the section where the fighting was in progress.

Three Soldiers Are Killed.

When the negroes, who had thrown up breastworks of logs and underbrush in the forest about their settlements, saw the troops approaching they opened fire. Three soldiers fell at the first volley, and the negroes were forced by the rush of the troops to retreat to a second line of defense they had constructed.

The first rush of the soldiers was accomplished during this morning, and after its fatal results the troops withdrew to determine, if possible, the strength of the negroes. Again in the afternoon the troops made an attempt to invest the fortifications of the negroes, aided by a detail of planters in the vicinity of Palestine and Jacksonville.

The planters' detachment was assigned to attack one side of the negro stronghold, while the detachment of troops stormed another. For some reason the negroes chose to direct their fire against the planters, and in the fire eleven were killed outright. After this attack darkness fell and the troops and planters withdrew from the attack.

It is said tonight that 500 fresh men and troops are being rushed to Palestine to engage in an attack on the negro stronghold early Sunday morning.

AUSTIN, Tex., July 30.—Governor Campbell today ordered a detachment of rangers and a company of State militia to the vicinity of Palestine to quell the race riot which broke out early today.

All Saloons Are Closed.

Judge D. H. Gardner has closed all saloons in the county and city. The saloons will remain closed until conditions warrant reopening. An order was issued by the court forbidding the sale or rental of guns and ammunition for the present. Most of the dealers had already sold out of guns and ammunition.

The negroes of that section have been preparing for trouble and were heavily armed. The whites say they have been very insolent. The negroes at secret meetings at a little schoolhouse near Slocum planned to burn several houses of the white farmers. The plot was given away by one old negro, and as the negroes were on their way to a meeting last night four of them were killed.

The area affected by the trouble is about fifteen miles square, and is in a portion of the county inhabited largely by negroes, and very inaccessible.

Tonight at 7 o'clock three State rangers arrived here, and a company of State militia arrived from Marshall.

Niagara Movement.

The Sixth Annual meeting of the Niagara Movement, Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, general secretary, will be held at the Gordon Sea View Hotel, Sea Isle City, N. J., from Saturday, August 27, to Tuesday, August 30.

All railroads grant reduced round trip rates to New Jersey seashore resorts during August. Advantage can also be taken of the greatly reduced "week end" rates. Inquire of your local ticket agent.

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The hotel is directly on the boardwalk. The usual amusements and recreations of the seashore resorts. Women and children welcome.

A committee composed of foremost educators has been appointed by Gov. Albert Glielrich, of Florida, to revise the school laws of the State for the betterment of benefits derived from education.

In Germany most of the heavy work is done by the women.

PARAGRAPHIC NEWS

(By Miss J. C. Mason.)

An effort on the part of citizens in New Orleans, La., because of race prejudice, to remove the Southern University, the only large colored high school, was defeated in the Senate by fourteen votes. The university is to remain.

After September 1, when the Agnew-Perkins directors' liability laws go into effect, jockey club tracks will be barred of racing in New York.

Miss Bessie Gibson, one of the best soprano singers in this city, is having quite a success at Asbury Park, N. J., singing the latest songs.

According to official report, there has been a great advance in iron ore production in the Mesada range in Minnesota shipments, increase being from 13,300,000 tons in 1902 to 28,000,000 tons in 1909.

In Chadron, Nebr., fifteen engines, belonging to the Chicago and North-western Railway, were burned. The loss was estimated at about \$400,000.

Miss Ivy E. Woodward has been admitted to full membership in the Royal College of Physicians of London. This is the first time that the coveted M. R. C. P. has been conferred upon a woman.

A capital idea produced by William Wheeler Hippen, justice of the peace, of Pluryn, Cal., is the establishment of a library in trees near his place for wanderers. Books, magazines and daily newspapers are supplied, also comfortable seats and a table.

More Afro-Americans have gone to Europe this year than ever before, on missions of pleasure, business and professions.

It is said that once a year rich Spaniards have a real flower-strewn path prepared for them. This is during the Corpus Christi festival, when beautiful flower carpets are laid in the streets of Villa Orlava, Teneriff.

In India it is literally a case of being a vegetarian or starving, for the Hindus of Hindustan, taking them almost as a whole, are so enjoined to their religion to abstain from eating meat.

Six thousand cars have been furnished in Atlanta, Ga., to carry fruit to market. Peaches are plentiful there, and the crop this season is three times as large as that of last year.

The sea trout of the Pacific coast is the greatest member of the family afloat, according to Richard L. Poock's opinion. Getting tired of catching small fish, he tried his luck in a river near by, and this large fish was caught.

An order for sixty-five locomotives of the largest type, each engine to weigh 240,000 pounds, was given to the American Locomotive Works in Pittsburgh by the Pennsylvania Railroad.

The Chickamauga Steel and Iron Company, whose capital is \$5,000,000, has been incorporated in Trenton, N. J. The main office of the company is to be Jersey City.

The Beartooth national forest in Montana shall hereafter have a grazing of 17,000 additional head of sheep. The original limit was 24,000. This gives a total of 41,000.

C. A. Taylor marketed the first sack of new crop rice, ground in Notaway, Texas, at Eagle Lake, Texas, this year. Taylor has always carried the new crop of rice to market until last year.

Mr. Frank's aeroplane, in Sunderland, England, while making a flight at the Boleton race course, overturned and fell into a crowd of lookers on, killing a boy.

London city police are salaried from \$6.56 to \$10.33 per week, being allowed an extra sum for coal in winter, and getting their uniforms free.

Mme. Mathelda Frank, the French wife of a British journalist, who has done serious work in aviation, has indicated her intention of coming to this country soon to try to win a prize offered for a race from Chicago to New York.

Because of the disappearance of General Vincent Mimet, of Santiago de Cuba, an insurrection is feared among the people.

A monument to ex-slaves of the South is proposed by veterans in New Orleans. The appeal was issued from the headquarters by Gen. George W. Gordon, commander-in-chief of the veterans.

By a big water spout developing into a sand spout, striking the beach in Charleston, S. C., Sullivan's Island was swept down, doing no greater damage than raining sand upon cottages.

By measurement the combined length and capacity of its five spans Queensboro bridge, across East River, from Fifty-ninth street, New York, to Ravenswood, Queens, is the greatest bridge in the world. Including approaches, its total length is 1,600 feet, width 86 feet, and greatest height above water, 300 feet.

The Durham Textile Mills, the only colored hosiery mills in North Carolina, has been very successful. It has doubled its capital and shall add a number of new machines to its factory soon.

C. L. S. Baker, of Chicago, a colored American, is the inventor of a friction heater. His heater heats railroad and street cars, and in so doing will save the car companies about \$4.20 per day. Mr. Baker has a contract for heating 4,600 Chicago cars, beginning November 1.

More than \$150,000 was deposited in one day into the treasury of Tennessee by five sheriffs, who recently reported their final settlement with the State Auditor.

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Taft and the Negro.
(From the Atlanta, Ga., Independent.)
It is generally charged by the political negroes and one or two selfish negro papers in this country that President Taft is a negro hater, dominated by Southern sentiment, and is largely tainted with "white-lillyism" to the end that he is displacing all negro office holders with white men.

Now, what are the facts? The Independent says that the charge is not well founded and has no standing in fact. What negro office holder in this country has he displaced by a white man? Granting, for the sake of the argument, that negroes are entitled to the places because they are negroes, and white men are not entitled to the places because they are white, if they charge the resignation of Dr. Crum, at Charleston, to President Taft's administration, for which he is not responsible, it would be offset by the appointment of Whitfield McKinlay as collector of customs at Georgetown, D. C. This is a position that no former President has ever given a negro. Some of the anti-Taft negroes have gone so far as to say that the appointment of Hon. Henry Lincoln Johnson as recorder of deeds, to succeed Hon. John C. Dancy, was a blow at the race. How they ever reached such a conclusion the Independent is at a loss to know. Johnson is a negro and Dancy is a negro, and how his appointment was a blow at the race any more than the appointment of the new commissioner of internal revenue at Washington, to succeed Commissioner Capers, of South Carolina, was a blow at the white race.

In Arkansas, Col. John E. Bush, a negro, has been appointed to succeed himself; in Alabama, Col. Nathan Alexander, a negro, has been appointed to succeed himself; at Jacksonville, Fla., Hon. Joseph H. Lee, a negro, has been appointed collector to succeed himself; in Louisiana, Walter Copen, a negro, has been appointed to succeed himself; in Washington City, President Taft turned the white National committeeman down and appointed Whitfield McKinlay collector of customs, displacing a white man; in New York, Charles Anderson, a negro, succeeds himself; in Boston, W. H. Lewis, a negro, succeeds himself; in New York, Attorney McDougal, a negro, displaces a white man in the office of United States District Attorney; in the Treasury Department, the Hon. W. D. Johnson, a negro, of Kentucky, succeeds a white man as special agent, giving to the race an additional place, and a colored man from Missouri is appointed special agent for the Agricultural Department, a new place for Savannah is the only place of importance in which a colored man was displaced by a white man, and this was not really a displacement, for Col. John H. Deveau held the place until he died, and Col. Leakin, a white man, was appointed to succeed him. This was agreed to and recommended by H. A. Rucker, W. H. Johnson and Henry Blum. So, when you get a bill

of particulars, the professional negroes' charge against President Taft must fail.

But President Taft has made innovations. He has placed negroes into positions which the race had never filled before; he has put them into offices heretofore closed in their faces, and the only change that the Independent has been able to discover on the political horizon is that the President takes political advice from a different source. The Independent gives the President a clean bill of health and presents his record as a complete refutation of the charge that he is against the race. His administration is a success from every point of view, both in the recognition of the rights of all the people, in the distribution of patronage and in his contribution to helpful legislation.

In the last year 19 cities in the South, through their Chambers of Commerce, or through some organizations of the merchants or business men, have taken practical steps to induce farmers to build telephone lines and connect with their towns. A famous painting by Jean Francis Millet, valued at \$10,000, "The Shepherd and Flock," has been stolen from the Art Museum in San Francisco.

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Paris.—Although France is now a republic for the third time, her people still seem to hanker after royalty and their taste runs in the direction of queens. They can't have a regular queen, of course, so they must be contented with queens of a lower degree, who are chosen in various trades and various parts of France with all due ceremony.

From time immemorial the tradespeople of Paris have celebrated each carnival by electing a queen from among the work people, whose chief merit is unusual beauty, the pride of birth being quite an unimportant factor.

The vegetable women select their queen, the grocers theirs, the fishmarket makes its choice and so on. Then these several chosen queens are brought together for an appointed committee to pass judgment on them. The queen receiving the largest number of votes is raised to the highest honor and her title is—Queen of the Queens. It is a strange fact that for several years, with one exception, the fish market has furnished the Queen of Queens for this joyous fete.

This year the business men of Paris inaugurated a Fete d'Automne (autumn feast), and October 2 and 3 were chosen as the days for the celebration.

A very ceremonious meeting was held in the chamber of marriages at the city hall at which the delegates of



Mlle. Lucienne Joly.

the various business associations assembled a few days ago for the difficult undertaking of electing an ephemeral sovereign to preside over this fete. The delegates on arriving at the hall found 15 beauties sitting in state awaiting the decision of the judges. The idle, butterfly type was not represented, for the young woman who was to attain the supreme dignity of queen had to be taken from the ranks of the business women.

After a moment's contemplation the president of the committee, M. Chalanon, arose and in carefully selected words set forth the ideas which first inspired the business men to bring into existence this autumn feast. The delegates were then asked to vote for the queen of the fete. The situation was most embarrassing. Gallantry is proverbial with the Frenchman, and to his chivalrous mind it was almost treason to select one to the discredit of the other candidates. A choice had to be made, however. Above each candidate was a number and each delegate simply wrote the number of his preference on the slip provided for him and dropped it into a box.

The first count showed that the delegates were of diverse opinions and no one of the candidates had a majority. This necessitated another ballot. A signal was given to the brass band in attendance, and in a twinkling it was thrilling the assembled people with one of the most exciting popular airs. The music gave courage to the timid and faltering judges, so that it was only a question of few minutes before the final vote was cast and counted. This formality over, M. Grandon, master of ceremonies, announced the result and proclaimed the chosen queen to be Mlle. Lucienne Joly, queen of the dressmakers, a Juno-like brunette who had received 41 votes, thus making her Queen of the Autumn Feast.

Blushing with pleasure and greatly agitated, the reigning sovereign thanked the assembly for the honor conferred on her, and the committee then escorted her and her 14 maidettes of honor to a restaurant, where the chosen one was congratulated demonstratively by her relatives and companions.

Unquestionable Probity. A housewife who had met with unpleasant experiences through a dishonest servant took the precaution before filling the vacancy, to write to the applicant's last employer for explicit information as to the girl's honesty. "I believe Mollie to be thoroughly honest," came the prompt reply. "I certainly never knew her to take anything, not even my orders. She didn't even take pains."

Perhaps it is no disgrace to be a sicker if the other fellow needs one.

CHICAGO'S NEW LIBRARIAN

Henry E. Legler of Milwaukee Assumes New Position at Salary of \$6,000 Annually.

Chicago.—Freer use of books and better facilities for getting them are two of the reforms which book lovers may expect to follow shortly upon the advent of Henry E. Legler, who has entered upon his new duties as public librarian of Chicago. The former Wisconsin newspaperman, who is the administrative head of Chicago's public library, lost no time in going to work to earn the \$6,000 salary the board voted him. Arriving in Chicago on an early morning train from his home in Milwaukee, Librarian Legler hurried at once to the beautiful building on Michigan avenue which is to be his workshop and began at once to knuckle down to his task.

The new librarian consented to outline his plans only after expressly



Henry E. Legler.

providing that nothing he should say might be construed as criticism of his predecessor.

"The principal aim of a librarian is to get the books under his charge into the hands of the people who want them with the greatest degree of facility commensurate with proper preservation of the books themselves," declared Librarian Legler.

"As rapidly as the finances will allow I believe in extending the free-delivery stations. The number of branch libraries ought also to be increased. Free home delivery has been tried in a few cities, but it is not yet necessary for Chicago and does not compare with other and more urgent needs for what money Chicago has to expend on its public library. With the help of the school officials it is our hope that the circulation of books in the juvenile department may be increased to a great extent.

"More liberal privileges, it would seem to me, may be extended to card holders. Elsewhere it is not an unusual custom for patrons of public libraries to be allowed the right of taking out two or three, or even more, books at one time on one card, providing they do not attempt to monopolize books for which there appears to be widespread demand. Here, I am told, the holder of a card may take out only one book at a time. I think that system may be changed with due regard for the convenience of all concerned.

"The general trend everywhere also appears to be toward increasing the freedom of admission to book attacks. However, I want to make it clear that whatever changes I recommend will be only after careful consideration and after obtaining the consent of the trustees."

Recently Mr. Legler refused an offer to take charge of the St. Louis public library and he also refused an offer to become New York state librarian. He was for many years a newspaper reporter, then became secretary of the Milwaukee school board, and for five years has been in charge of Wisconsin's state library commission, which handles hundreds of traveling libraries.

DOGS ON POLICE FORCE

Oak Park, Chicago's Fashionable Suburb Is Guarded by Two Canine Thief Catchers.

Chicago.—Oak Park, the fashionable western suburb at Chicago, is guarded by dog police. Daring robberies in the village are responsible for the



One of the Police Dogs.

addition of the dogs to the force and it is a noticeable fact that since the two dogs, "Nick Carter" and "Jesse James" have been on the force that hold-up men and burglars have not been so busy. The dogs are trained to follow a trail over any kind of a road, whether it be an oiled thoroughfare or a common country road. H. G. Strumpher of Hammond, Ind., is the owner of "Nick" and "Jesse." He says they will rid Oak Park of crooks. Old policemen, however, are skeptical.

QUEENSLAND'S WATER TREES

Wise Provision of Nature That is One of the Curiosities of the Region.

One of the curiosities in natural history in the colony of Queensland is the provision by nature of a supply of water in the roots of certain trees. On these roots the aborigines formerly depended for their water for several months of the year.

There are several kinds of trees in Queensland from which water can be obtained, including three species of eucalyptus, and the kurrajong. The eucalyptus consists of a gum, which is the largest of the back country trees, a box and mallee. The first named is the most preferred, as yielding the greatest quantity. This tree resembles the red gum in appearance, the leaves being a little narrower and of a silvery color. It grows chiefly on sandy or light loamy soil and throws out numerous lateral roots at a depth of about nine inches from the surface of the ground. The position of these roots was ascertained by the blacks by repeatedly jabbing the points of a spear or sharpened stick in the soft earth at a distance of about six or eight feet from the trunk of the tree. The soil was then removed with a wooden shovel for some 20 feet or more and the root cut off at either end. This was then cut up into lengths of about 18 inches, the bark knocked off and the lengths stood on end in some receptacle to contain water. In many cases the blacks used a bag made of the entire skin of the male wallaby. As soon as all these pieces were placed on end the operator, beginning with the first placed, put the end in his mouth, and by a vigorous puff expelled the remaining water. The size of the roots chosen was, with the bark on, about the thickness of a man's wrist. The larger ones being more woody and less porous, contain little or no water. The water is beautifully clear, cool, and free from any unpleasant taste or smell.

PLEASANT FOR THE TRAVELER

Russian Method of Safeguarding Czar Necessarily Led to Some Apprehension.

The late William E. Ingersoll, the noted life insurance manager, was an authority on insurance rates.

"Mr. Ingersoll knew the rates all over the world," said a New York manager, recently. "The Russian rates are very high. Mr. Ingersoll once explained to me, with a story, why this was."

"A traveler in Russia, he said, noticed that the train was all decorated with flags and banners, and at every station a company of soldiers, and a band playing the national anthem. The traveler asked a barkman the reason of all this ceremony. The barkman, lowering his voice, replied:

"I don't mind telling you, sir—but in the strictest confidence, be it understood—that a carriage in this train has been engaged for his majesty. But his majesty, as a matter of fact, won't set off till this evening. Thus the plot hatched against him may take effect on this train, you see, and our gracious sovereign will be saved."

"The brakeman touched his cap and passed on, and the traveler, suddenly grown pale and nervous, stared from the window anxiously."

High Title Denied Washington. A friend calls attention to the fact that Washington, although commander in chief during the Revolution and again in 1798 during the French war, which did not really happen, did not bear the title of full general. On July 2, 1798, President Adams nominated him "to be lieutenant-general and commander in chief." This was followed by the act of March 3, 1798, of which the ninth section read "that a commander of the army of the United States shall be appointed, and commissioned by the style of 'general of the armies of the United States,' and that the present office and title of lieutenant-general shall thereafter be abolished." President Adams, jealous for the executive prerogative as commander in chief, made no appointment under this act and Washington died as lieutenant-general.

Europe's Highest Village. "The highest village in Europe" is the inscription on a post card which shows a group of wooden cottages on a bleak hill, with no sign of vegetation in sight and having as a background a range of ice-covered mountains. The name of the place is Cumeas in the Canton Wallis. It lies 2,047 meters above the sea level, "where Monte Rosa raises its gigantic head into the clouds." The village consists of four families, and the latest census gives it a population of 26. "The storms of spring and fall and the snows of the winter months," says the sender of the card, "make life a dreary one, and still the people look happy, and doubtless they are so."

A Careless Messenger. After a messenger boy had eaten his lunch in a Pearl street restaurant in the New York financial district, Harry Bohrer, the manager, found a package on the table, and opening it he discovered that it contained \$23,000 in currency and also sufficient negotiable securities to make a total of \$50,000. From the papers in the package he believed the valuables belonged to the state bank, a few doors away, and hurried there with the money. The cashier quickly identified the parcel and Bohrer was given a reward.



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The fourteenth annual meeting of the Hampton Negro Conference will take place at Hampton Institute, Va., July 13th and 14th.

The twenty-fifth anniversary services of the establishment of the Salvation Army in this city were held in the various churches last Sunday.

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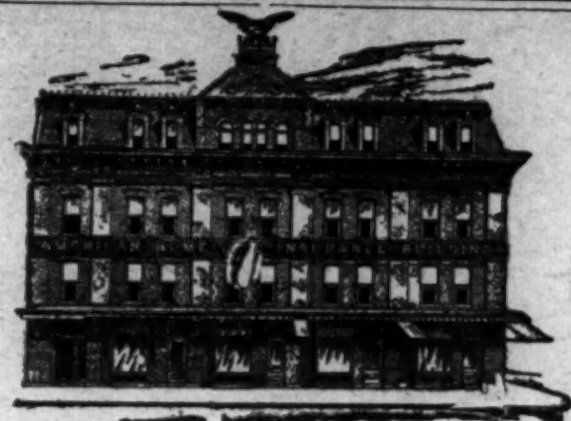
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There are many colored families who are living in crowded houses on small plots of land in towns or cities who want real freedom and real opportunity for themselves and for their children. It is very difficult to rear children in a crowded town or city. The place to rear children is in the country.

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Now The Bee is the only Negro publication in this city. It stands without a rival or competitor, and covers the field like a few of the merchants in this city will patronize the advertising columns of The Bee, presenting the attractive bargains they may have, these Negroes — these 5,499 Negroes who draw annually from the Government over three millions of dollars — will assume that by patronizing a publication edited and operated by one of their own that such firms desire and deserve their patronage. And such firms will receive the bulk of these over three millions of dollars received and spent by the Negroes of Washington.

What clothing stores, what furniture stores, what dry goods stores and what other lines of business will now make an effort to direct to themselves these over three millions of dollars spent by Washington Negroes by advertising in The Bee?

Place your advertising in The Bee and watch these 5,499 appreciative Negroes spend their over three millions of dollars with you.

Now is the time to advertise in The Bee, the newspaper that goes into every Negro home in Washington. Remember, merchants of Washington, it's what advertising pays you, not what it costs.

MORE MONEY—RACE PROGRESS.

If colored people groom themselves daintily, destroy perspiration odors, remove grease shine from the face, and use our new discoveries for improving the skin and dressing the hair, they will be better received in the business world, make more money, and advance faster.

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(1) Complexion Wonder Cream will light up any colored face (black or brown) every time it is used. To prove this on one trial, we send demonstration sample for 10 cents. Regular, 50 cents postpaid.

(2) Magneto-Metallic Comb, called Wonder Comb. Can be heated before using, to help straighten and dress the hair. Costs 50 cents, and will last a lifetime.

(3) Wonder Uncurl. When this pomade dressing is in the hair the kinks can be uncured and the hair becomes flexible. When heated into the scalp and through the hair with a Wonder Comb, any stiff, knotty hair will dress well. 50 cents postpaid.

(4) Wonder Hair Grow fertilizes the scalp and makes hair grow long, just as fertilizers in the soil make cornstalks grow. 50 cents postpaid.

(5) Odor Wonder Powder instantly destroys perspiration odor. People who neglect such chemical cleansing are obnoxious. 50 cents postpaid.

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(7) Wonder Foot Powder keeps the feet dainty. 50 cents postpaid.

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WELCOME THE OUTLOOK.

On August 20 Dr. Booker T. Washington will set sail for Europe, and while there will study labor conditions, later incorporating his investigations, observations and conclusions in a series of articles to *The Outlook*. This is a momentous problem—the labor problem, and calls for the highest trained and fairest brain to deal properly with it. The fact that Dr. Washington will contribute to *The Outlook*, no matter upon what subject, speaks a tribute that is only paid to real merit, real wisdom, and perfect poise of mind. The *Outlook* is the premiere publication in this country; sound and unbiased—philosophically sound. Between its covers appear the views and sentiments of the highest, the fairest, and the best schooled of American brain. It is a publication that is never sensational, never on the fence, and never given to favoritism of men, measures, or parties against what is fundamentally and absolutely right. It is a publication that "hews to the line, let the chips fall where they may." The engagement of a man of the colored race to contribute to the columns of this lofty, eminently fair and valuable publication is a tribute, first, to the man, secondly, to his race, and, thirdly, to his country, without reference to race or color distinction. And this constitutes but another evidence that Dr. Booker T. Washington is acknowledged, and accepted, as the leader, apostle and pathfinder of a race that has but recently emerged, with marvelous strides, from the almost hopeless jungles of ignorance into and onto the open, unrestricted field of progress.

That Dr. Washington's articles will be awaited with keen interest, and that they will be read with avidity by all colored Americans who have even a suspicion of race pride there is no doubt. And of the ten and more millions of people on this continent who are colored Americans, 90 per cent of them are bubbling over with race pride, and the other 10 per cent need only the veriest rudiments of education to make them join the other 90 per cent.

To Dr. Washington we say, God speed, and a safe return. To *The Outlook*, that premiere publication, we bid welcome to the homes of our people.

THE TEXAS RIOT.

There are some people in this country—colored people, especially—who are spasmodic. In politics, as well as in other things, these people are swayed by sympathy. Their sympathies come soon and leave as fast as they come. Their indignation rises when they see or hear of an imaginary wrong inflicted, and the first to condemn or denounce it, and then after a little flurry it is all over. This will be the result of the indignation meeting held at the Metropolitan Baptist Church last Monday evening, a report of which will be seen elsewhere in *The Bee*. There are thousands of white people in the South who are friendly disposed toward the colored people; and if they were not there, the race could not live there. All white people South are not against the colored people. The better class of white people, to a great extent, want the colored man to succeed. The orators at this meeting seem to class all the white people South in the same category. This should not be. The Southern white people—that is, some of them—will

do most anything to avoid the colored people. It is so in this city. The white people in this city are more liberal toward the colored enterprises than colored people themselves. Take, for instance, our summer camps. The *Bee* has been informed by Miss Bell Russell, one of the public school teachers, that she, who has charge of these colored camps, says that Captain James F. Oyster, formerly the president of the Board of Education; Mr. W. V. Cox, who succeeded Captain Oyster, have contributed liberally to these colored camps, while lots of these so-called colored representatives fail to give a cent. The *Bee* cites these two instances to show the feeling of the white people toward the colored race, who are being abused and condemned by a set of irresponsible colored agitators.

The colored orators who want to be prominent in the eyes of the people should be more careful, and discriminate between the friends and the enemies. Had it not been for the good white people of this country, with the assistance of Dr. Washington and others, there would be no Colored Men's Christian Association and many other fine institutions that have been needed by the colored people. Dr. Thirkield, of Howard University, has certainly demonstrated his love and interest in the colored race, no matter what his enemies may say about him. At no time has he failed to defend the colored race and denounce those who abuse the oppressed colored people. Let us be fair and give credit to those who deserve it, be they Democrats, Republicans, ex-Confederates or what not. We have lots of friends among the latter.

DON'T SULK.

Every physician and patriotic citizen in this city should do everything to make the stay of the doctors in this city agreeable. No man should sulk. At conventions held elsewhere the citizens would come together and entertain the strangers. If there are any physicians in this city who have enjoyed the hospitalities of other cities, who are not taking part in this convention, should remain at home hereafter. Certainly a physician who has been entertained by other cities should be the last person to sulk in his tent at this time. The local Committee of Physicians and the Citizens' Committee are working harmoniously together, and *The Bee* feels confident that the entertainment to the visitors will be a success.

Don't sulk.

THE ASSASSIN.

Laws cannot be too severe against concealed weapons. The habit of people carrying firearms should be stopped. Then, again, there should be a law making attempt to assassinate an official or an attempt to kill a citizen punishable by death. That was a most cowardly assault committed upon Mayor Gaynor, of New York. The only punishment the would-be assassin will receive, if Mayor Gaynor doesn't die, will be imprisonment.

AT LAST.

Let the people of this city be thankful and thank those who have made it possible to have a theater for the people. The Howard Theater is the finest structure of any play-house in this city. And, just think of it, it is a place for the people of Washington. The *Bee* means all the people of respectability. This theater is worth inspecting. It is in a fashionable part of the city, close to three lines of cars, and is situated at the corner of 7th and Tea streets northwest. Monday, August 22, the Howard Theater will be open; secure your tickets now. The opening will be spectacular.

Rev. White's Resolutions.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 2, 1910.
A resolution to aid the Governors and other officers in the States and Territories in the United States to protect life and property against lawless mobs.

Be it resolved, That we call upon the President of the United States, as commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States, and ask his favorable recommendation that all the surplus fire arms in the United States be distributed among the States and Territories, and that each male citizen over twenty-one years old be sworn in, subject to the local authorities, and be given a gun and what ammunition is necessary, so that he can be called out by the local authorities, that they may protect life and property and preserve order against lawless mobs.

Therefore be it further resolved, That we appoint a committee to call upon the President, and present him a copy of these resolutions, that as we believe that this is the only way to protect the life and property and preserve order, for the Governors of the States, and the local officers can

not protect the citizens, and the good citizens cannot give the aid that is necessary to meet these mobs unless they are armed.

Therefore be it further resolved, That we give the President and Governors and other officers in the United States our hearty support in the protection of life and property, and in the preserving of law and order, and our assurance that there is no danger in the expressions contained in these resolutions.

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The Independent Movement.

Atlantic City, N. J., Aug. 7.
The National Independent Political League of American Negroes held its annual session of last week Thursday, Friday and Saturday, in Atlantic City. It was reputed to be one of the most interesting and intellectual sessions ever held by the free Negroes of this country.

The opening night Bishop Alexander Walters, A. M., D. D., of New York; Professor E. B. W. DuBois, of Atlanta, Ga.; Dr. J. Milton Waldron, national organizer; Dr. Sylvester L. Corrothers, the executive member of the District of Columbia, and President of the District league, delivered great speeches.

Representative men from all over the country sent contributions, and the spirit of independence seemed to be in evidence on every side. Dr. Corrothers, the chairman of the Executive Committee, has received more than a dozen letters since his return to the city and 35 or more applications for membership in the League.

Dr. Corrothers, after consultation with other members of the League, has called a meeting in Washington City Sept. 28 at 2 p. m. At 8 p. m. there will be a public mass meeting and reception tended representatives from all over the country attending this League.

The seed of independence has already been sown in the minds of the American negro, and the officers of this League purpose to keep up their fight until every self-respecting negro of this country shall be brought face to face with the issues for which they stand. On all sides signs appear of the ambition of the Bread and Butter Brigade. All lovers of liberty, justice and fair play are invited to membership without regard to political party or social or religious affiliation.

PROGRAM OF NEGRO BUSINESS LEAGUE, NEW YORK, AUGUST 17, 18, 19.

Wednesday, August 17, 10:30 A. M.

At the Palm Garden, 150 East 58th Street, near Lexington Avenue.

The League Called to Order—President John M. Royall, of the New York Negro Business League.

Prayer—Rev. R. C. Ransom, pastor Bethel A. M. E. Church, New York. Addresses of Welcome—On Behalf of the City: Hon. George McAneny, President of the Borough of Manhattan. On Behalf of the New York Negro Business League and Citizens of Greater New York—Honorable Charles W. Anderson.

Responses. Appointment of Committees—(a) Credentials; (b) Resolutions; (c) Auditing.

Manufacturing Brooms for the Trade—A. G. Gordon, Gordonsville, Va.

Some Business Experiences of a Country Physician—J. E. Levy, M. D., Florence, S. C.

Conducting a Silk Mill with Negro Labor—T. W. Thurston, Rocky Mount, N. C.

Conducting a Hosiery Mill with Negro Labor—A. M. Moore, M. D., Durham, N. C.

Dry Goods and Notions—T. J. Jackson, Anniston, Ala.; F. P. Gadsen, Ocala, Fla.

Poultry Raising—Walter Bell, Anacostia, D. C.

Co-operative Merchandising—P. D. Davis, Birmingham, Ala.

Ethical Standards in Business—Dr. George A. Gates, Nashville, Tenn.

Addresses are each limited to twenty minutes. In the discussions to follow, speakers are limited to five minutes.

Wednesday Evening Session, 8 P. M.

At the Palm Garden, 150 East 58th Street, near Lexington Avenue.

The League Called to Order. Prayer—Rev. R. M. Bolden, pastor "Mother" A. M. E. Zion Church, New York City.

The President's Annual Address. Farming as an Adjunct to a Country Physician's Practice—J. T. Goodwin, Weston, S. C.

Contracting and Building—Samuel Plato, Marion, Ind.

The Publishing Business—Ira T. Bryant, Nashville, Tenn.; J. C. Gilmer, Baltimore, Md.; J. C. Gilmer, Charleston, W. Va.

Thirty-two Years' Experience as a Manufacturing Chemist—P. J. Allston, Boston, Mass.

"Black Detroit"—J. W. Ames, M. D., Detroit, Mich.

Live Stock Dealing—Cornelius E. Ford, Buffalo, N. Y.

Thursday, August 18, 10 A. M.

At the Palm Garden, 150 East 58th Street, near Lexington Avenue.

The League Called to Order. Prayer—Rev. H. C. Bishop, rector St. Philip's Episcopal Church, New York.

The Transfer Business—G. W. Brown, Scranton, Pa.; J. B. Banks, Jackson, Tenn.

Conducting a Livery and Boarding Stable—Charles Scott, White Plains, N. Y.

Conducting a Book and News Store—Mrs. M. A. Rone, Clarksburg, W. Va.

Address—Mr. Jacob W. Mack, New York, N. Y.

The Insurance Business: Possibilities and Evils of—C. C. Spaulding, Durham, N. C.

Industrial, Health and Accident—E. F. Johnson, Richmond, Va.

Industrial Insurance—G. W. Powell, Durham, N. C.

Mutual Benefit—E. S. Peters, Mo-

bile, Ala.; W. A. Attaway, M. D., Greenville, Miss.

Fraternal Insurance—Thomas T. Jackson, Pittsburg, Pa.

Real Estate—William D. Neighbors, Chicago, Ill.; G. M. Guest, Paris, Texas; J. Walter Hodge, Indianapolis, Ind.; Jno. M. Royall, New York, N. Y.

Address—Oswald Garrison Villard, editor New York Evening Post.

Drug Manufacturing—M. O. Lee, M. D., Albany, Ga.

Thursday Evening Session, 8 P. M.

At the Palm Garden, 150 East 58th Street, near Lexington Avenue.

The League Called to Order. Prayer—Rev. M. W. Gilbert, Mount Olivet Baptist Church, New York City.

"What I Have Accomplished as a Tanner"—J. E. Overbey, Jeffersonville, Ind.

The Millinery Business—Mrs. Julia Jordan, Nashville, Tenn.

Representing the National Negro Undertakers' Association, affiliated with the National Negro Business League—A. N. Johnson, Nashville, Tenn.; Thomas H. Hayes, Memphis, Tenn.

"New and Second-Hand Goods"—J. W. Teal, Carlinville, Ill.

Manufacturing Society Regalia—Joseph L. Jones, Cincinnati, Ohio.

The Industrial Development of the Negroes of Arkansas—G. W. Hayman, Little Rock, Ark.

The Woman's Business League of Greater New York, Miss I. M. Moorman, President, will hold a reception in honor of visiting ladies in the Hall of Palm Garden, Thursday afternoon, August 18.

Friday, August 19, 10 A. M.

At the Palm Garden, 150 East 58th Street, near Lexington Avenue.

The League called to order. Prayer—Rev. F. H. Butler, Pastor, St. Mark's M. E. Church, Montclair, N. J.

Reports from State Negro Business Leagues—Alabama, Arkansas, Indiana, Florida, Mississippi, Texas, Colorado, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Louisiana.

Reports from the National Negro Bankers' Association, affiliated with the National Negro Business League. Address—Col. Theodore Roosevelt, Oyster Bay, N. Y.

The Nursery Business—Joseph Brown, Nashville, Tenn.

Managing a Stock Farm—Edward Willis, Lexington, Ky.

"Rushling"—Charles Cook, Indianapolis, Ind.

Merchant Tailoring—William S. Sparrow, Boston, Mass.

The Shoe Business—J. P. Seabrook, Charleston, S. C.

Negro Corporations—L. C. Collins, New York, N. Y.

Address—E. W. Brown, Richmond, Va.

The Coal Business—C. P. Williams, Flushing, N. Y.

HOWARD'S MANAGER.

W. H. Smith, of the Pekin.

The new Howard Theater, at the corner of 7th and T streets northwest, will be managed by the greatest theatrical manager in the United States.

W. H. Smith is his name, and his cut appears on the front page of this week's *Bee*. Mr. Smith is one of the most affable men you desire to meet, with a thorough business head upon two broad shoulders. He was formerly the manager of the great Pekin Theater, Chicago, Ill.

This picture was taken especially for *The Bee*, and to enable the people to see the man who is to manage the people's theater, *The Bee* had a fine cut made of him.

Mr. Smith comes to the people of this city highly recommended to be one of the best practical theater managers in the country. He is a man who has had contact with many enterprises, and successful in them all.

Mr. Smith is authority on all matters pertaining to the stage, and what he doesn't know is not worth knowing.

The Howard Theater, of which he is to be the manager, is no doubt, the finest theater in the city. The people should go and inspect it before it opens, which will be Monday, Aug. 22. No citizen should fail to go to the opening of this theater. It is one of the prettiest theaters in the country, and it is the intention of Mr. Smith to cater to the wishes of the people of this city. The famous Pekin Theater, of Chicago, Ill., formerly managed by Mr. Smith, is to-day managed upon the basis inaugurated by this great theatrical manager. Mr. R. T. Mott is one of Manager Smith's best wishes. He knows who Mr. Mott is. The *Bee* will each week announce the attractions at this theater.

The *Bee* also extends congratulations to you, Mr. Smith, and, on behalf of the people, you are welcomed to the Capital of the Nation.

THE FINAL COUNT.

Passes Away Peacefully at His Home in Baltimore—Arizona Trip Fails to be of Benefit—Surrounded by Family, the End Comes at 8:08 This Morning.

BALTIMORE, Aug. 10.—Joe Gans, former lightweight champion pugilist of the world, died at the home of his foster parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gamp, on Argyle avenue, this city, at 8:08 o'clock this morning, following a brave battle of months' duration against the dread white plague. Gans' end was peaceful.

At the deathbed the former champion was surrounded by his loyal wife, Martha J. Gans, former colored school teacher, whose untiring attention to her stricken husband has won the admiration of all; Gans' foster mother; "Kid" North, an old-time pugilist, who accompanied Gans on his homeward journey from Prescott, Ariz.; the nurse, Miss Tilghman, and Col. Dan. Pendleton, a life-long friend of the little fighter.

Funeral arrangements probably will be announced late to-day.

Last Public Appearance.

Gans' last public appearance was on the stage of the Gaiety Theater, during a theatrical engagement of Battling Nelson, his conqueror. Joe did not take any part in the show, merely

making a short address, during which he told of the great prowess of the mighty Dane. Gans was given a grand ovation.

The parting of Gans and Nelson, as the former left the stage, was most pathetic, both men visibly showing the human affection. In the eyes of both were tears. The following day Gans left for Arizona to begin training for his last battle, that of life and death.

The grim reaper won out. Gans "came back" last Friday—came back to die.

In the death of Joe Gans the prize ring loses one of its most picturesque characters, and as game a lightweight as ever donned a glove. His real name was Gamp. He was born in Baltimore in 1874, the son of a poverty-stricken and illiterate negro. When a mere pickaninny Gans went to work as a delivery boy in the old Baltimore Fish Market.

Gans' Own Life Story.

These facts are taken from Gans' own story of his life:

"Once the boss and his brother and I each put in \$1.70, and we bought a set of \$5 boxing gloves. I got too good for the other boys, so they made me box them two at a time. My first fight was to a finish with another 'kid.' My boxing with two boys at once had taught me how to block and lead, so I won my first real fight, which was for a \$2 side bet and a collection of \$5.40. It looked like a lot of money to me, and I just had to win. I took the money home to my mother."

"My next fight was for 23 rounds, and the purse was \$8. Then I began picking up little fights, meeting the boxers and wrestlers who traveled around giving exhibitions and earning a few dollars here and there. I took it all home to my mother. It worried her. She asked me where I got it, and I told her I won it shooting craps."

But she thought I was stealing, so I had to take my uncle one night to see me fight. Then my mother tried to make me stop, but I liked the game too much. In those days I didn't have much of a punch, but I was awfully fast, and I could jab with my left hand in great shape. I didn't know I had a right hand."

Defeats "Kentucky Rosebud."

One of Gans' early fights was with the "Kentucky Rosebud," who had just knocked out George Dixon. Gans beat him in six rounds. Then began his professional career, which took him to the top.

Gans' first chance for the championship came in his fight with Frank Erne in New York on March 23, 1900. Erne won in the twelfth round. Gans claimed that he had been blinded when Erne "batted" him. He was unable to get another fight with the champion until May 12, 1902, when they met at Fort Erie, Canada. Gans won in 1 minute and 40 seconds.

Gans had things all his own way as the lightweight champion until July 4, 1908. His first fight with Nelson had taken place in September, 1906, at Goldfield, Nev. Nelson got \$22,500 for the fight, win, lose, or draw, while Gans got but \$11,000, though the house drew \$67,715, up to that time the largest gate receipts ever taken in at a ring contest. Not only did Gans agree to give Nelson the larger part of the purse, but Nelson forced Gans to weigh in twice. Gans won in the forty-second round in one of the most grueling fights ever seen in the American prize ring. After that fight he defeated Kid Herman, Jimmy Britt, George Mennis, Spike Sullivan, and Rudy Upholz.

Gans' Fatal Move.

In the meantime Nelson was clamoring for a return match. He and Gans met on July 4, 1908. "It was my fatal move," said Gans. "Nelson proved too strong for me, making me take the count in the seventeenth round. On September 8, 1908, we clashed for a third time, and while I made a valiant struggle to wrest back the title I had held so long, the But-ler wore me down again, and I was counted out in the twenty-second round. My last battle was with Jabez White, the English champion. I know I made a miserable showing, but I was far from being myself. Had I been the Gans of old, the Englishman would never have stayed ten rounds."

"When Ad Wolgast beat Bat Nelson for the title, I thought I could defeat the new champion, but though I posted a forfeit of \$1,000 it remained uncollected. At that time my health was pretty good, but when I went to New York to take down the money I contracted a severe cold, which finally put me out of the game for good."

Gans returned to his Baltimore hotel, but consumption had the best of him, and he was sent to Arizona in the hope that he might recover. He was too far gone.

"At leisure moments," said Gans once, "I have figured my earnings, and I know that during the time I was in the ring I made \$300,000, both from my fighting and theatrical engagements."

Incidents in Career of Dead Pugilist.

Born November 25, 1874, in Baltimore, Md.

Height, 5 feet 6 1/2 inches. Weight, 133 pounds.

Most Important Battles.

Lost to Frank Erne, New York, twelve rounds, 1900.

Laid down to Terry McGovern, Chicago, 1900.

Knocked out Frank Erne, Fort Erie, one round, May 12, 1902, winning lightweight championship.

Won from George McFadden, San Francisco.

Lost to Sam Langford, Boston, 1903.

Knocked out Mike Sullivan, San Francisco, 1903.

Won from Battling Nelson on foul, Goldfield, Nev., September 3, 1906; forty-two rounds.

1907.

Knocked out Kid Herman, Ton-

pah, Nev., January 1, eight rounds. Won from Jimmy Britt, San Francisco, September 9, five rounds.

Won from George Mennis, Los Angeles, September 27, twenty rounds.

1908.

Won from Spike Robeson, Philadelphia, April 1, three rounds.

Won from Rudolph Unholz, San Francisco, May 14, eleven rounds.

Knocked out by Battling Nelson, San Francisco, July 4, seventeen rounds.

1908.

No decision with Jabez White, New York, March 12, ten rounds.

Indorses the Theater.

Washington *Bee*: Please allow me to state a few facts about the new Howard Theater. I can say without exaggeration that it is one of the most complete theaters in the city, its accommodations and new ventilating system has placed it above anything of its kind.

Mr. Smith, its manager, of Chicago, having had a long experience in the theatrical line, has proved himself to be the most competent man for the position. He promises to do everything for the comfort and pleasure of the people of Washington.

The owner of the theater has spared no pains in making this the greatest theater for the colored American that is known anywhere, and I am sure that the people of Washington should be very grateful to these gentlemen, for now we have a place to go, taking our wives, daughters, sisters and friends, and feel unmolested and at home.

One feature of this theater is there shall be the employment of colored help throughout, people of Washington being favored as far as possible.

The ushers are to be selected from Howard University, the M Street High and Armstrong Manual Training schools. The position of house electrician has been offered to a most competent Howard University student at a handsome salary. This young man is our friend, O. L. Garnett, who has been producing wonderful electrical effects with limited apparatus at that most unique little theater known as Ford Dabney's.

Very respectfully,
W. L. SMITH,
Druggist, 4th and Elm Sts. N. W.

The Chelsea Theater.

M street, between 19th and 20th streets northwest, formerly owned and managed by white people, *The Bee* understands, has changed hands and will be hereafter managed by S. L. Jones and L. Kohler Chambers, with the best of New York talent, and everything that goes to make an up-to-date 5 cent theatre. This particular theatre has the largest seating capacity of any in its locality. Messrs. Jones and Chambers are well known and liked, and it is predicted that their success is assured.

RESULTS OF AN APPEAL FOR ARKANSAS COLLEGE.

W. E. Stewart Complains of the Lack of Generosity on Part of Northern Negroes.

"I asked the Colored Preachers' Alliance of Washington for money to aid the Arkansas Baptist College at Little Rock, which has done so much to help educate the Negroes of the country, and they gave me—30 cents."

"If this is a measure of the sympathy felt by the Negroes of the North for the Negroes of the South, I say they had better attend to their own business instead of sending telegrams to governors and sheriffs of the Southern States expressing their indignation at the lynching of Negroes. Their resolutions of sympathy are meaningless to us."

Have Friends in South
This statement was made Tuesday by W. E. Stewart, financial agent of the Arkansas Baptist College, who recently came to Washington to attend the memorial service for the late Rev. Dr. George W. Lee, pastor of the Vermont Avenue Church. He said that he attended the meeting of the Preachers' Alliance last week and was called upon to make an address.

"I told them of many friends among the white people that the Negroes have in the South, and of our freedom there. But it seemed that the members of the Alliance wished to condemn all our white friends in the South because of the outrage in Palestine, Texas. Yet we have thousands of white friends in the South as well as in the North."

Brought Credentials With Him.
"Before I asked for funds to help the Arkansas Baptist College I presented my credentials from the Baptists' national convention, and recommendations from Gov. George W. Donaghey, of Arkansas, and from the Business League of Little Rock. But my appeal resulted in a donation of 30 cents. Yet I am told that some of these preachers receive \$125 a month for their services."

"I have appealed to the city pastors for a place in which to explain the real condition of the Negroes of the South and what is being done for them by the white people of the Southern States. I hope to be able to deliver this address before I leave here."

Mr. Stewart is staying at 417 P street Northwest.

The National Religious Training School, Durham, N. C., offers an unusually strong course for young men who are preparing to enter the Christian ministry. There is always an inviting field for the trained minister. Lectures by distinguished men will be delivered throughout the entire course. It will be thorough in every particular. It will seek to combine the cardinal principles of religion and work.

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All applications for admission must be made by September



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Miss Violet A. Kibble is summing at Northumberland County, Va. Dr. John Hall, of Boston, Mass., brother-in-law of Dr. A. M. Curtis, is visiting friends in this city. Mrs. Jennie Holland is in Boston, the guest of Mrs. Mattie McAdoo. Misses Florence and Hilda Freeman are summing at Midland, Va. Dr. Childs was a visitor at Sea Isle on Sunday of last week. Miss C. Dennis is visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia, Pa. Miss Eliza Thomas is spending the summer at Ocean City, N. J. Washington guests at Holmes Cottage, Saratoga, N. Y., are Mrs. Mary Hayden, Mr. George Williams and Mrs. A. B. Dunham. Miss Chase of Baltimore, Miss Artie of West Virginia, Miss Randolph of Capetown, Africa, and Mrs. Moore, of Louisville, Ky., were callers at the Bee office last week. Mrs. Blanch Warrick Cardozo is on her sick list at her brother's home, Dr. W. H. Warrick, in Germantown, Pa. Miss Twene, of this city, is visiting friends in Auburn, N. Y. Many socials have been given in her honor while there. Miss E. H. Scudder, of Manhattan, N. Y., is spending this month here. Mrs. John Burns is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emanuel Papino, in Ossining, N. Y. Miss Anna Howard paid a flying visit to Dr. and Mrs. Warrick, Jr., in Philadelphia, Pa., last week. Miss Rosa Z. Carter, who is visiting Mrs. Artie Brooks Jones, in Charleston, W. Va., is having a delightful stay. Miss Carter has been the guest of honor at many receptions in Charleston. Dr. Le Roy Baxter has returned to his home in New York City, after a pleasant visit here. Mr. William H. Mason left the city Wednesday evening for Chicago. Before returning home he will visit St. Louis and New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Mason are visiting relatives and friends in New York City and Jersey City. Mrs. Lillie Savoy, in company with her son Leonard, and Mrs. Whiting, are spending their vacation at Atlantic City. Mrs. Jessie Relford, in company with her two little sons, Martin and Herbert, and Mrs. Mamie Adams and daughter, of Atlanta, Ga., are visiting friends in this city. Mrs. Samuel Green has returned to her home in Atlanta, Ga., after a delightful vacation in this city, New York and Boston of two weeks. Miss Maude E. Fleming left the city Wednesday to visit relatives in Harrisburg. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Butler are the guests of Mr. Pinkett, in Atlantic City. Mr. Ralph Langston has returned to New York City after a very pleasant stay in this city as the guest of his mother, Mrs. John M. Langston. Mrs. W. A. Lee is a guest at the Plaza Cottage, Saratoga, N. Y. Mrs. Martha Triplett is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Storum in Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. William Jackson was in Philadelphia, Pa., last week, and was the guest of Miss Willie Hamlar, of 2325 N. Orkney street. Miss Nettie Lynch has returned to her home after a delightful stay of ten days in Philadelphia, Pa., as the guest of Mrs. Thomas Randle. Prof. J. G. Logan has returned after a delightful stay of two weeks in Atlantic City. Dr. and Mrs. Boyd are spending a few days in Atlantic City. Miss Nellie E. Morton is spending a few days at Hampton, Va. Miss Lavenia McCoy, of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of Mrs. Daisy Suttles, 1800 H street. Before returning home she will visit Boston and Virginia. Mrs. Lula Henderson, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting friends here. Prof. Walter A. Dyson, who spent two or three weeks in Atlantic City, has returned to this city. Miss Bertie Jones is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Everts, in Harrisburg, Pa. Miss Rosetta Brown, who has been pursuing a summer normal course in the University of Chicago, has returned to this city. Miss Elizabeth Howard is spending some time in Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. T. Patten, who has been visiting friends here for five weeks, has returned to her home in Harrisburg, Pa. Dr. Scott visited friends and relatives in Harrisburg, Pa., on Monday of last week. Messrs. John Campbell, A. M. Fay, and Albert Mills are summing at the Winthrop Hotel, in East Orange, N. J. Miss Sallie Fisher is spending her vacation among friends in Cleveland, Ohio. Miss Ida Gray and Mrs. Lucy Johnson are visiting friends in Cleveland,

Ohio. Miss Etta Cannon, of Jersey City, is here on a visit. Miss Buelah Weller, who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Reid, in Portsmouth, Va., has returned home after a delightful stay of several weeks. Mrs. Hally Adams Conway is visiting relatives and friends in Portsmouth, Va. After the 5 and 10 cent theatre, between the acts, and at all hours, ice cream soda is now all the rage, especially that snappy, cold, pure, delicious kind that is served at the drug store of Board & McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th St. N. W. It is made right, served right, tastes right, and is right. Miss Lizzie Clarke and father have returned home after a delightful visit in Rippon, Va. Mrs. R. Robinson is the guest of Mrs. L. A. Brown, in Chicago, Ill. Miss Pearl Lewis, who has been on vacation in the west since July 1, will be the guest of her uncle, Mr. Louis Anderson, in Chicago, for the next three weeks. Miss Alice Simms, of St. Louis, is the house guest of Miss Effie Simmons at 1811 12th street N. W. Miss Emma B. Parks and Miss Lawson, of the Census Office, left the city last Saturday for a visit to their homes in Chicago. Prof. J. W. Cromwell, Sr., and J. W. Cromwell, Jr., have returned to this city, after a successful term teaching at the summer normal in Lynchburg. Miss Hallie S. Brown is visiting her brother, Mr. Justin Brown, in Minneapolis, Minn. Miss Lenora Curtis is visiting friends in Chicago, Ill. Misses Natalie Lewis, Blanch George, Esther Middleton and Marion Mitchell have returned to this city after an extended trip to Canada. They visited Montreal, Quebec, Toronto, Niagara Falls, and other places. Mrs. Mary L. Meriwether is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ben. P. Brownley, in Charleston, W. Va. Miss Lillian Harris, of New York City, is visiting friends here. Miss Calloway, of Chicago, is the guest of Miss Gibson. Mrs. Murray, in company with her daughters, Misses Nettie and Edna, are summing at Asbury Park, N. J. Mr. Joseph Carter is visiting in Cheyenne, Wyo. Mr. and Mrs. James Orr are visiting in South Carolina. Rev. W. A. Taylor, of Newport News, Va., is spending his vacation here. Miss Mary Roberts is visiting her mother and sister in Newport News, Va. Miss Ollie Cooper has returned home after a pleasant stay in Newport News, Va., with Mrs. McPherson. Mr. Eunice Wade is visiting Mr. and Mrs. McGriff in Portsmouth, Va. Mrs. L. L. Stanard, of Richmond, Va., is spending several days here. Miss Ruth Wetherles has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. S. W. Taylor, at Rio Vista, for four weeks. Many parties have been given in her honor while there. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Branson, formerly of this city, is here on a visit for two weeks with the brother of Mr. Branson, Benjamin, 1818 4th street Northwest. Mrs. Daisy M. Brynn, formerly one of Washington's belles, now with the Smart Set, has been the guest of her mother and father, Mr. W. H. and Fannie Mitchell, at 1901 9th street Northwest. Mr. Brynn, husband of Mrs. Brynn, is a writer and composer of music. He was in the city two weeks ago on a vacation. He left last week to join the Smart Set, which is rehearsing a new play in New York. Mrs. Brynn and a number of her friends were entertained last Saturday evening, prior to her taking the 12 o'clock train for New York City, where she is to join her husband. Mrs. Brynn is as beautiful as ever. Her married life has not deprived her of any of her beauty. Mr. Joseph H. Jones, of the District Government, left the office sick last week. Ex-Governor P. B. S. Pinchback went to Harper's Ferry, W. Va., last week, to join his wife and grandson, who are summing in that old historic place. Among the Washingtonians at Harper's Ferry are Prof. Montgomery, Mrs. Wilder, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Murray and others. Lawyer Jabez Lee has just returned from Windsor, N. C., where he attended a memorial service in honor of the late Dr. Geo. W. Lee, at Mount Olive Baptist Church, which was organized by the father of Attorney Lee. The memorial address was made by Dr. G. B. Griffin, of Elizabeth City, N. C., one of the foremost pulpits orators. Mr. John T. Dangerfield, brother of Mr. A. W. Dangerfield, visited relatives and friends in this city a few days ago. Mrs. Louisa Kemp has returned home after spending several days in Harrisburg, Pa. Mr. David L. Cooper has been spending a pleasant week in Gordonsville, Va., with relatives and friends.

Miss Violet Kibble, of 721 13th street northeast, left the city Wednesday evening, with Mrs. Ida R. Bundy, for North Cumberland, Va. They will remain until Sept. 15. Register W. T. Vernon has been confined to his home with a severe cold. Mr. Miles C. Maxfield has returned to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Mrs. W. Sidney Pittman and children have gone to Hurlington, Long Island, N. Y., the guests of Dr. Booker T. Washington and wife, the father and mother of Mrs. Pittman. They will remain two weeks or more. From there Mrs. Pittman will go to Long Branch and Atlantic City, N. J. Mrs. Daisy Pierre and children, wife and children of Dr. Samuel M. Pierre, left the city this week for Westmoreland, Va., where they will remain some time. Dr. Pierre will also take a trip East in a few days; then he will join his wife later on. Mrs. Mary E. Jones and children are summing at Beaton, Va. They will remain until September. The latest report from the residence of Mr. James H. Jones is that he is out of danger. Miss Eva A. Chase, accompanied by Miss Rachel Bell, left Fort Stevens, where they have been all the summer, last Thursday for Arundel-on-the-Bay. Mr. and Mrs. George W. Robinson, of 304 F street southwest, were visited at their summer home, Deanwood Heights, D. C., by the stork and presented with a little son, Aug. 4, 1910. Judge Terrell and Mr. Geo. Myers were entertained at the Country Inn, Detroit, Mich., by the citizens on their recent visit. Miss Laura Anderson, of Patterson, N. J., Miss Eliza Johnson, of New York City; Mrs. Rosa E. Johnson (nee Hamilton), of Arnold, Pa., and Mr. Robert Scriber, of New York City, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Castor for 10 days at 319 V street northwest. Miss Ella V. C. Williams left the city for South Carolina Wednesday afternoon to attend the W. T. Y. A. She will be gone several weeks. Mr. W. Calvin Chase will leave the city for Durham, N. C., next week, and on his return he will visit the Negro Business League. The Crispus Attucks excursion to Washington Park Tuesday evening was largely attended. Chairman S. M. Lewis and his committee deserve great credit for the success they had. Dr. W. D. Daniels, one of the best known physicians in the city, will go on his vacation in a few days as far as Providence, R. I. He intends to visit Saratoga, Long Branch, and Atlantic City, and will also stop several days in Philadelphia on his return home. Attorney L. M. King, who has been on an extended vacation in New York, Long Branch, Atlantic City and Virginia, returned to the city this week, very much improved in health. Mr. Sophia Haristort left the city this week for Frederick County, Md., where she will remain some time. Attorney W. L. Taylor, of 609 F street northwest, who was brutally assaulted by white ruffians a few weeks ago, is able to be out again, but not thoroughly well. Dr. Mitchell, who has been suffering with rheumatism, is improving. Mr. Warfield and children, wife and children of Dr. W. A. Warfield, is in Maryland on vacation. They will remain some time. Attorney W. C. Martin will leave for New York some time next week on professional business. Mr. Robert T. Douglass, who has been quite ill for some time, is able to walk about. It is the hope of his friends that he will soon be able to be out and himself again. General Robert Smalls, of South Carolina, is sick, but he is expected to be up and out again. Mrs. Jennie Lewis, of 2220 11th street, and little daughter Genevieve, are spending the summer very pleasantly at Atlantic City, N. J. Mrs. Thomas W. Watkins and daughter Ella have gone to Arundel-on-the-Bay, where they will spend their vacation. Misses Mary, Kate B., and Corinne Martin have gone to Atlantic City. Miss M. E. Janifer is spending a few days in Charles County, Md. Mr. Louis H. Wane, of East Capitol street, has gone to Gainesville, Va., where he will spend his vacation with friends. He will return about September 1. Miss S. J. Janifer is attending the convention of the Woman's Foreign Mission at Indianapolis, Ind. Mrs. Givens, of Louisville, Ky., is in the city, the guest of Attorney J. L. Neal. Fairmount Heights. The Ladies' Improvement Club of Fairmount Heights will give a grand lawn fete on the spacious lawn of Mrs. Charles E. Payne, Whites avenue and Wilson street, Wednesday evening, Aug. 17, 1910. The lawn will be beautifully lighted by vari-colored lanterns. Dancing on the large piazza. A musical treat is in store for all who are on hand that night. Proceeds are for the benefit of streets and heights. Come, and enjoy the beautiful moonlight ride. The Fairmount Heights Citizens' Association held a large meeting in the Town Hall Wednesday night. The Hall was crowded. The meeting was called to order by its new President, Rev. J. Strouthers. The Capital Heights Citizens' Association (white) have joined forces with the Fairmount Heights Association in erecting a waiting-station at 6th and C streets; also in securing electric lights for these subdivisions. Five applications for membership were received at the last meeting. Plans are being laid for extensive improvements this fall. CHAS. E. PAYNE. Blue Lodges. Deaths occurred in Eureka, Widow's Son and Datcher lodges during the month of July. The funeral of Bro. Eugene Waller, who was present master of Datcher Lodge No. 15, took place on Wednesday, August 3, at 10 o'clock, from the residence of Sir Kt. W. J. Howard officiating, with other assistants. Sir Kt. Waller was born in this city, No. 610 Third street Southwest, and resided there until death. He leaves

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an aged mother, Mrs. Eliza Waller, a sister, two brothers and a wife, Hon. Lady Louise Waller, Past Matron of Datcher Court, H. of J., and Datcher Chapter, O. E. S.
The Blue Lodge room of the hall is completed. The Ladies' Chapter room will be ready for their reception in September.
The Commandery room will be the last to be repaired, but the craft shall be able to receive all visitors from abroad to the Medical Convention this month.
Gaithersburg, Md.
(Special Correspondence.)
Metropolitan Grove, Aug. 9.
Since my last letter we have had lots of rain. Monday it rained all day, hence we could not take our usual drive through the country.
Everybody is a politician up this way. From my brief observation I am of the opinion that Representative Pierre will win. The colored vote is quite large in Montgomery County, and it seems to incline toward Mr. Pierre. Mr. Warner is not spoken of very much so far in the colored ranks. The colored voter believes that he will give Mr. Pierre another trial, although Mr. Warner is making a tremendous fight.
There was a delightful lawn party given a few miles away the other evening. I met the belles and beaux. Well, you talk about country; the girls looked well, and the boys are never lost for company. I don't live very far from the county school. From what I have been told, the colored children don't have school seven months. They always close in April. The white schools keep open longer.
I shall leave here next week for a little trip down the Chesapeake Bay. I am delightfully fond of sailing upon the glorious old Chesapeake. Since my stay here I have had a delightful time. Mama concluded that she had rest enough, hence she decided to put up jam and preserves. She has all kinds, I assure you. We shall go for a long drive tomorrow. Our escort has two fine horses and a turnout that any person would envy. I am surrounded by all kinds of fruit and vegetables, as I told you in my former letter. If we were nearer to the city I would extend the opportunity to keep you well supplied with what we cannot eat.
The male population in this section is very industrious, and saving at that. It will not be long before a great number of the best farms will be owned by the colored people.
Look for us after our return from the bay.
Yours,
GARVIN.
MEETING ASKS NATION TO END MOB VIOLENCE.
Resolutions are Adopted—Clergymen Make Addresses—Appeal to President.
At a meeting of more than 600 last Monday night, in the Metropolitan Baptist Church, the recent race riot in Texas was denounced as an outrage against law and order. An appeal to the President and members of Congress for aid in "the enthronement of law and order" was adopted. More than twenty clergymen were in attendance, and many of them spoke. Resolutions were adopted asking the sympathetic consideration of the President, the judges of the United States Supreme Court, the Governors of the States, the officials of the law, the pulpit and the press, "to the end that lynching and mob rule and race riot may be driven from the American commonwealth." Continuing, the resolutions said: "We earnestly ask that this government, which has shown its sympathy with the weak of foreign nations by sending an army to Cuba, by joining with the powers in settling the Boxer trouble in China, by suggesting that honor had been satisfied to Russia and Japan, which is in sympathy with Russian Jews and Armenians in their sufferings, which has often protected individuals abroad in the name of humanity, shall protect its weak at home."
Among those who spoke were Rev. J. M. Waldron, Rev. Dr. I. N. Ross, Rev. Dr. S. L. Carruthers, H. A. Clarke, Prof. William H. H. Hart, Rev. J. Anderson Taylor and Rev. R. K. Harris. W. D. Jarvis presided.

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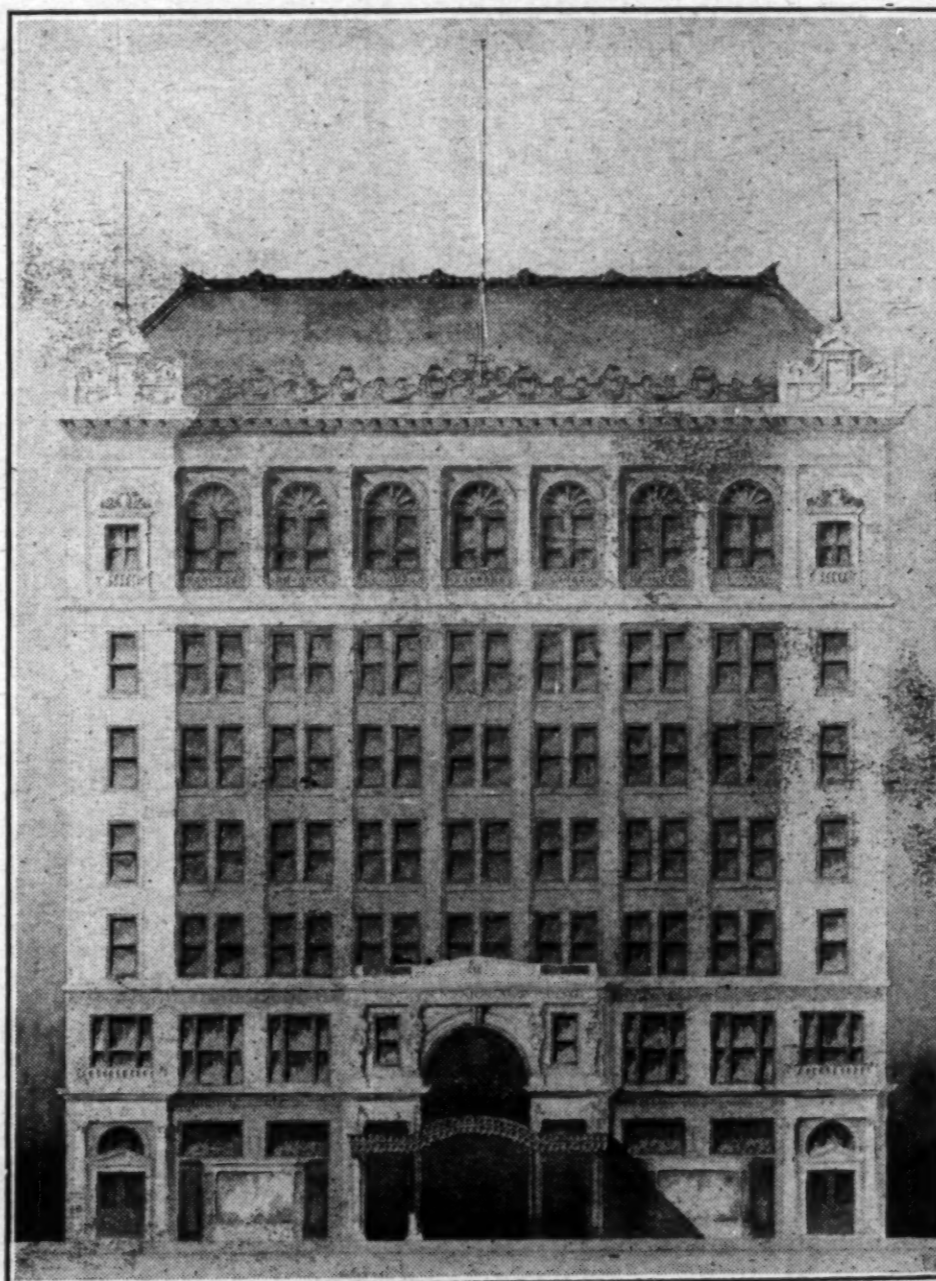
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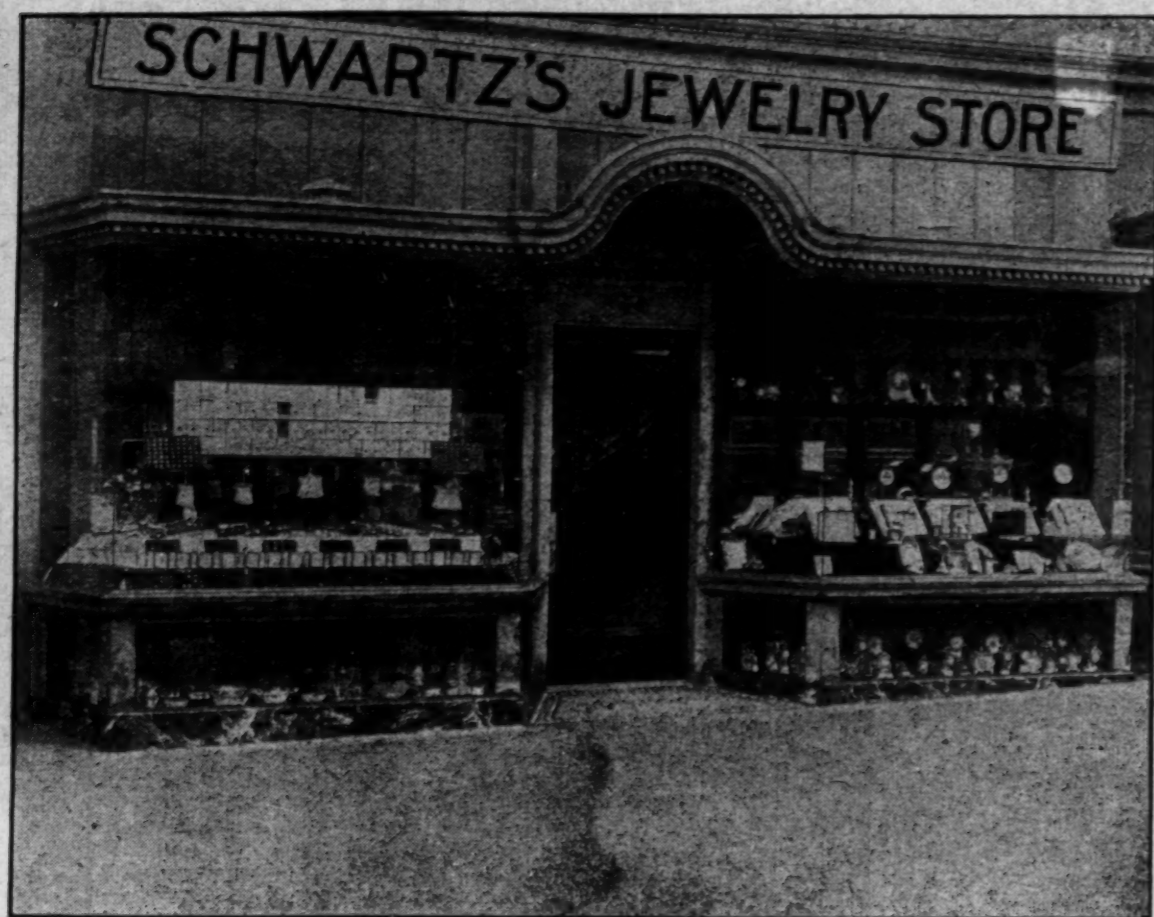
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In another column of The Bee is offered a splendid opportunity to start a home in Bloomburg Park, D. C.

stitute, and not a pound of that article can go into interstate or foreign commerce unless it bears the mark "U. S. Inspected and passed."

Miss Henrietta Vinton Davis has just published a "Book of Recitations." The book is from the press of the Miles Printing Company of Pittsburgh. It is said to contain a choice collection of dramatic and humorous readings.

Mrs. Martha Generals, an aged colored woman, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., has been granted a bronze medal and a pension of \$20 a month by the Carnegie Hero Commission for saving the life of a four-year-old child.

During the year of 1909, there were 70 lynchings, 11 whites and 54 colored. This is said to be the highest record since 1904.

The Haym Solomon National Monument Association has been organized in San Francisco, the purpose of which is to build a monument in this city to the financier who contributed \$600,000 to the Colonists' Treasury during the Revolution.

Baltimore is to have one of the largest manufacturing firms in the South. All of the operatives will be colored. It will commence very soon.

Miss Caroline Hazard, for eleven years president of Wellesley College, and one of the best known women educators in the country, has resigned. The resignation is due to poor health.

There is quite a stir in Elizabeth, N. J., over the appointment of Miss Rachel Falsom, a colored graduate, to teach school in the residential section of the city, attended exclusively almost by white children.

It is said Jason Brown, son of John Brown, the hero of Harpers Ferry, is living the life of a hermit in Ohio, devoting his time to perfecting a flying machine which he has invented.

It is said 41 new banks with a capital of \$2,612,000 completed organization in the South during the month of June.

Maryland, it is said, is to have a negro insane hospital which will cost \$100,000.

At the meeting of the Interdenominational Bible College held in Shiloh Baptist Church, it was said "The saloon influence is the greatest hindrance to civic betterment in this city."

Secretary Wilson's meat inspectors will continue to inspect lard sub-



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Evelyn May Converse, Playing Model, Met Artist, Who Kept Her Arrayed in Royal Finery Until Picture Was Finished.

New York.—When the loyal and honest Britishers pay homage of heart to the pictured Alexandra at the coronation—from the brush of Edwin R. Abbey, R. A.—it is only to their queen's head and face. The rounded arms, the well poised neck, the stately, patriarchal carriage of the figure are another—the secret is out now. Miss Evelyn Converse, an American girl from Wisconsin at that, posed as Queen Alexandra for Mr. Abbey's great painting, "The Coronation of Edward VII."

Miss Converse hasn't sat on the royal throne, but she has worn the coronation robes. She has never been presented at court, but she has come and gone at Buckingham palace as if born to the purple. She was never proclaimed queen in Westminster, but there she is in the picture. The king himself ordered the painting to be hung on the walls of Buckingham palace. He posed; the queen posed; all the important personages who were nearest to their majesties at that august occasion faced Mr. Abbey for their portions of the picture. But for two years the great work was held up because there was no suitable model in England.

"For two years I've waited for you," said Mr. Abbey when he met Miss Converse. He knew he had found the model he wanted—the rest was only a matter of course. Who that could do it would refuse to pose for her majesty, consort of Edward VII, and wear her robes and jewels?

Strangely enough, Miss Converse isn't a professional model at all. She comes from Eau Claire, Wis., where her father, Henry Edward Converse, is a successful up-to-date American



Miss Evelyn May Converse.

business man. He went there from New York and took a hand in mining and timber and made good. There is sturdy New England stock in Miss Converse, too—on her family tree is the name of Oliver Wendell Holmes. It all happened just because Miss Converse fell in love and played model for her fiancé, a painter prince—Ematoum Bey, son of a Russian nobleman and a French countess, who adopted Egypt as their country, where Ematoum Pasha is one of its foremost men.

When she was 16 Miss Converse left Eau Claire and went abroad with some cousins to study. She stayed in Paris several years, studying French and music, and hoping that perhaps some day she might go into grand opera. Then she went to England, and at Cambridge she met Ematoum Bey, who had been to the 'varsity there and rowed in one of the crews. He had taken up painting—and he fell in love with Miss Converse.

They became engaged and what could be prettier on canvas than the fiancée's shell pink skin and her dusky black hair and her eyes that are sometimes black and sometimes blue and sometimes gray? And those arms, so exquisitely modeled!

Well, George Story, the artist, saw the throat and arms and shoulders at a reception at the American embassy. "Just one sitting," he begged of the beautiful American girl, and when she told her fiancé of this he said: "It's a very great honor from such a painter—by all means pose for him."

They got along famously, and one day Mr. Story ventured to suggest that Mr. Abbey might want her for some of his next pictures. Miss Converse laughed merrily—the idea that such an artist, one of the two Americans in the Royal Academy, should want to paint her!

"Why, there are plenty of other girls who will do quite as well," she went on, protesting. And now we get to the point where the pretty American girl was asked to wear Queen Alexandra's coronation robes. Miss Converse called on Mr. Abbey. As she tells it:

"He smiled and just looked at me hard, hard, for about a minute. Then he asked me if I would mind taking off my gloves, that he might see my hand. I said, 'Yes, I'll do it,' and then—why, he just said that if my arms were like that he'd most certainly want me for a very important picture he was painting."

"And that very day I put on Queen Alexandra's robes and he began to paint me in the picture."

EFFECT OF COLORS

Red Makes You Angry, Blue is Soothing.

Paris Medical Experts Claim to Have Found a Cure for Divorce as Result of Experiments with Colors.

Paris.—Medical experts of the French capital have found the latest cure for divorce. It is a result of experiments in colors made by eminent medical men, who declare that red wall paper, red clothes and red glass windows make persons angry. Blue, on the other hand, is soothing to the nerves of excited and "touchy" husbands and wives.

A Paris husband who had been having trouble with his wife consulted one of these experts as a last chance before seeing a lawyer. The doctor visited the man's office and saw a brilliant crimson carpet on the floor. A large oil painting, the prevailing tone of which was red, hung on the wall.

At the home he found red wall paper, red curtains and red furniture.

"Red," said the doctor, "excites your temper and your wife's too. Try some other color. Put blue wall paper in the house and throw away every red piece of furniture you have."

The husband obeyed the doctor's orders and since then there has been no trouble in that family.

You remember the old crusade over blue spectacles? Everybody wore them once. They were thought to hold a wonderful power to ease pain, toothache and other troubles.

The principle was the same that is being used in Paris now, but the doctors of 80 years ago had not quite solved the secret of the effect of blue light on the human brain.

"They were going it blindly—just like the farmer who put green goggles on his cow and fed her shavings."

But now science has found the real reason for the effect of red and blue on people's overworked minds.

There's a quality in the red and blue rays that doctors call an actinic quality.

When you look at anything bright red, the red rays of light quicker than the mind can conceive, travel to the



How Colors Affect the Eye.

sight cells of your brain, tingling the hairlike nerves on their way there.

When you look at anything blue the same thing happens, only the nerve wire to your brain is a different nerve wire, for different colors tingle different nerve wires lines, just like different telephones signal "central" over different wires.

The red nerve lines pass through a part of the brain that contains what doctors call the cells of hate!

The blue nerve lines go a certain distance on the red party nerve line, and then switch onto the sight cells through a part of the brain that contains the cells of love!

So with this in mind you can see the point made by the French doctor who says he can stop divorces, cure family jars, and make happy homes by changing red furniture and wall paper to blue.

For nearly 50 years the men of science have known something about the colors' effect on the brain of man.

The love cells are just below the hate cells, and as far back as 30 years ago Prof. Fowler, the eminent reader of men's heads, called the place on the head where the love cells are the bump of Amateness.

Above this bump of amateness is the bump of Hate, which ought to be less prominent on your head than the other bump.

Prof. Frederick Starr, a present-day student of the heads of Indians and other strange peoples, found that the bump of hate was larger on an Indian's skull than on a white man's.

He believes that is why an Indian never forgets a grudge.

The possibilities of treatment of family jars with colored rays are almost without limit, they say.

Wives, especially, will be interested in the new discovery. Lots of even-lags a man will come home and scold his wife, scold the nice supper she has cooked for him and find fault with everything.

Perhaps it's a red carpet in the man's office, or a red curtain at home, or red wall paper, or a red-headed maid in the kitchen!

Hereafter, instead of "painting the town red," a man will win honor if he paints it blue. The way to a man's heart after all may be through a blue glass window, or a blue silk dress, rather than through his stomach.

In this marvelous discovery science has again shown one of her most wonderful truths—that it is the little things that cause trouble in the world.

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It is the earnest plea of the pastor
and members that all former pastors
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an active part in the celebration of
the Sixtieth Anniversary of the
church.

Order of Services.

Sunday, August 7, 11 A. M.—Ann-
iversary sermon by the pastor, Rev.
W. D. Naylor.

3 P. M.—Dr. L. M. Beckett, and
Congregation of Campbell's A. M. E.
Church, Hillsdale, D. C., and who
pastored this charge 31 years ago, is
invited to preach.

8 P. M.—Rev. T. R. Sinkfield, of
Crisfield, Md., who pastored this
charge 22 years ago, is invited to
preach.

Sunday, August 14.—Each service
will be filled by able divines. A pa-
per on the "History of the Church of
60 Years' Duration," will be read by
the church clerk, Mr. James E.
Young, giving all particulars, on the
second Sunday, in the afternoon.

Sunday, August 21, 3 P. M.—Mrs.
Webster, of Hillsdale, who is doing
missionary work in the interest of the
Old Folks' Home, will be present and
make her mission known to the public.

During the week there will be ser-
vices each night. Praise and prayer
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The Medical Association.

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The scientific program is being ar-
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hold sectional meetings, so that they
may discuss in a heart-to-heart man-
ner the problems pertaining to their
individual professions. Clinics will be
conducted likewise.

The Citizens' Committee will see to
it that there be no lack of func-
tions, but it is generally agreed that
the socials on this occasion will not
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The Local Committee is endeavor-
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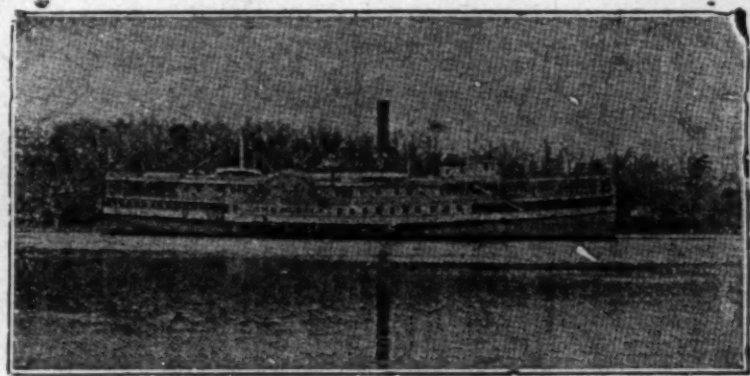
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